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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 2070

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 2070 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Collection Agency Act is amended by
5 changing Section 3 as follows:

6 (225 ILCS 425/3) (from Ch. 111, par. 2006)

7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2016)

8 Sec. 3. A person, association, partnership, corporation,
9 or other legal entity acts as a collection agency when he or
10 it:

11 (a) Engages in the ~~the~~ business of collection for
12 others of any account, bill or other indebtedness;

13 (b) Receives, by assignment or otherwise, accounts,
14 bills, or other indebtedness from any person owning or
15 controlling 20% or more of the business receiving the
16 assignment, with the purpose of collecting monies due on

1 such account, bill or other indebtedness;

2 (c) Sells or attempts to sell, or gives away or
3 attempts to give away to any other person, other than one
4 registered under this Act, any system of collection,
5 letters, demand forms, or other printed matter where the
6 name of any person, other than that of the creditor,
7 appears in such a manner as to indicate, directly or
8 indirectly, that a request or demand is being made by any
9 person other than the creditor for the payment of the sum
10 or sums due or asserted to be due;

11 (d) Buys accounts, bills or other indebtedness and
12 engages in collecting the same; or

13 (e) Uses a fictitious name in collecting its own
14 accounts, bills, or debts with the intention of conveying
15 to the debtor that a third party has been employed to make
16 such collection.

17 (Source: P.A. 94-414, eff. 12-31-05; 95-437, eff. 1-1-08.)".